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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicant: Charley Y. Lloyd et al. Examiner: Robert A. Madsen
Serial No.: 09/781,583 Group Art Unit: 1761
Filed: February 12, 2001 Docket No.: 5520USA (G180.140.101)
Due Date: **March 20, 2003** (w/ extension)
Title: PORTABLE CONTAINER SEPARATELY CONTAINING TWO CONSUMABLE PRODUCTS, AND A DRY CONSUMABLE PRODUCT, ESPECIALLY RTE CEREAL, FOR USE THEREWITH

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.114

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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114:

- Previously submitted
- Consider the Amendment(s)/Reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on **January 20, 2003**
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- Other _____
- Enclosed
- Preliminary Amendment/Amendment and Response/Reply
- IDS and PTO Form-1449
- Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- Other _____

Miscellaneous:

- Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(I) required)

- Other _____

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Fees: (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. 1.114 when the RCE is filed).

If an additional fee is required due to changes to the claims, the fee has been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(1) Claims Remaining After Amendment		(2) Highest Number Previously Paid For	(3) Present Extra	Rate	Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	41	-	52		x 18.00 =	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	-	6		x 84.00 =	\$0.00
[] MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED						\$0.00
TOTAL						\$0.00

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500471.

- At any time during the pendency of this application, the Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 500471.
- RCE fee (\$750.00) required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)
- Extension of Time fee (\$110.00) (37 C.F.R. 1.126 and 1.17)
- Other _____
- Check in the amount of \$860.00 is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2308 enclosed).

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8:

The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper or papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: BOX RCE, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C., 20231 on this 6 day of March, 2003.

By Timothy A. Czaja
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